

Osberg, Cyndi

From: Clawson, Barbara
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 4:12 PM
To: Markegard, Glen
Cc: Osberg, Cyndi
Subject: FW: Comments re: Southtown Plans

Planning – please include the following comment when this item comes to Council.

Thanks!

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From: Clawson, Barbara
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 4:11 PM
To: City-Council
Subject: Comments re: Southtown Plans

I received the following phone call today:

Margaret Aldrich
8212 Russell Ave. S.
952-881-2400

Mrs. Aldrich wanted the Council to know that she agrees with most of the comments made by the Southtown rep about its shopping center in today's Strib article. She likes Southtown just the way it is because it works. It doesn't need more sidewalks. It doesn't need a fancy, high-end hotel. She said Southtown is easy to access and it's quick to get to the stores you want. It has a nice variety of stores and is always busy so it obviously doesn't compete with the MOA. She said it does need a grocery store, which I told her will be included. She said Southtown doesn't have to become a fancy, urban development. Keep it the way it is.

Thanks!

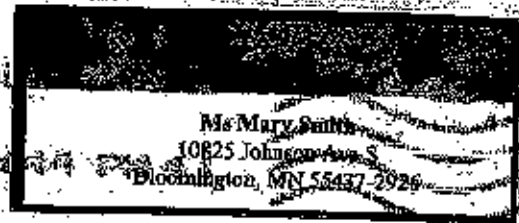
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Dear Mayor Winstead & Members
of the City Council.

you are overstepping your
boundaries on rezoning Southtown
area. That shopping center
has been successful for so
many years. And now you
want to change a success
story. we don't need more
hotels & office buildings. They
are ugly for one thing. and
you are over running private
businesses - Think how'd you
feel if it was your business.

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